The new president, Hon. W. W. Har ris, has taken the first decisive step toward making the Builders and Trad-

Finance-L. E. Pinkham, Thos Sharp, E. R. Bath, J. Emmeluth, Geo. H. Angus.

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Legislative-A. F. Clark, Marston Campbell, A. Gartley, G. H. Angus, G. F. Bush.

Committee on Revision of By-Laws -A. F. Clark, John Emmeluth, Thos. Sharp

It is the last committee whose ap pointment has particular significance at this time. The Builders and Traders' Exchange, as everybody knows, ground so fast during 1905 that the advisability of abandoning the organization altogether was seriously cided to make one more trial at resus-citation, and with new officers and part in it." change could not be made, as it properly should be, a factor to be reckoned with in the business life of the town. This was felt to be the more important, as shrewd business men believed that a better day was dawning for Hono-

Many things, not necessary to be gone into now, contributed to the decadence of the Exchange, not the least among them being the collection agency, now abandoned. That led to all kinds of complications.

At the annual meeting held last week, when Mr. Harris was installed as the president, there was no definite announcement of a change of policy, but a strong hand was felt to be at the helm, and in the discussion that followed the inauguration of the new regime a determination was announced to get quarters somewhere in the business center, make the Exchange t where business men could see each other frequently, and generally to begin to act as though the Exchange was really alive.

To the end that all this might be done, and that changes might be made in the rules so that new members could be secured and the settlement of the affairs of old ones facilitated, it was agreed to appoint a special committee to revise the by-laws of the concern, and this is the committee relied upon to be of the most material ting the Exchange back on its feet.

George F. Angus was appointed to the Board of Directors of the Exchange to fill a vacancy.

CIRCUIT JUDGE IS

The town continued full of rumors relative to the appointment of a Circuit Judge in succession to Judge Robinson yesterday, with no definite information from anywhere to base them upon. So far as is known here, the matter is still under investigation by Attorney General Moody in Washingbe a subject re quiring a little more time than it was supposed that it would at first, but doubtless the Department of Justice will get to the facts in its own good In the meanwhile, the people of Honolulu and the parties especially interested, will have to wait for news as best they can.

CHINESE PRINCE MAY COME THIS

Several Chinese, who are connected with the mission now going abroad, arrived at Nagasaki on the 11th inst. by the steamer China. They state that Prince Chai Tse, with a suite consisting of 40 members, was to leave Shang hal for Kobe by French me'l on the 11th inst. The party will stay at Tokio for about three weeks and then visit America and Europe. Their return to China is timed to take place about August next.

Prince Tsai Tse is expected to arrive at Tokio on the 18th inst. His Highness and eight members of his suite will stay at the Shiba Palace.-Japan

In the course of renovating the Irwin premises occupied by Arch. Sinclair and family, next the Opera House new supports have been put under the large bougainvillea vine that forms an arbor looking out on Palace square. The old lookout platform has been demolished. This was formerly much used as a speaker's stand for political meetings and its demolition means the wiping out of an interesting landmark.

CROUP.

A reliable medicine and one that should always be kept in the home for immediate use is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It will prevent the attack if given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears. There is no danger in giv-ing it to children for it contains no opium or other harmful drug. For sale by all Dealers and Druggists, Benson, Smith & Co., Ltd., Agents for

A strong effort will be made to get all the Irishmen and women in Honolute to unite this year in a proper cole bration of the anniversary of the even the fight out of an Irishman.

Anyway, there are Irishmen who believe that a celebration can be ranged in which all Irishmen in Hono-lulu will agree to take part. To that lulu will agree to take part. To that end, the Ancient Order of Hibernians and the Ladies' Auxiliary have sent out a joint invitation to all Irishmen and Irishwomen in the city requesting their presence at a meeting, to be held at 8 o'clock on Sunday evening, at Mission Hall, to perfect arrangements for the proper observance of the great Irish holiday.

"I think we can get them all to-gether," said Mr. Creedon yesterday. "We want to make this celebration a

foot to get some Irishman of note from the mainland to come down and act as the orator on the occasion, although this is as yet somewhat nebulous. At all events, the men who have the mat-ter in hand so far are gravely in earnest and if the Irishmen do pull all together, as there should be no difficulty in doing, the memory of the good patfittingly honored and the sons and daughters of the race that rules the American world can have an opportun ity to meet and know each other bet--all of them

PAIN IN THE JOINTS

ONE OF THE TORTURES OF RHEUMATISM.

Pain and Swelling Cease When Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Make New Blood.

The first sign of rheumatism is frequently a pain and swelling in one of the joints. If not combated in the blood, which is the seat of the disease, assistance to President Harris in put- the polson spreads, affecting other joints and tissues. Sometimes rheumatism attacks the heart and is quickly fatal.

> The one remedy that has cured rheumatism so that it stays cured is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills expethe poison from the blood and restore the system so that the poisonous matter is passed off as nature intended.

Mrs. I. T. Pitcher, of No. 130 Monmouth street, Newark, N. J., suffered for about three years from rheumatism before she found this cure. She says: "It began with a queer feeling in my fingers. In a little time it seemed as though the finger joints had lumps on residence of Secretary Taft during his them and I could not get my gloves on. entire visit in July.

"Then it grew worse and spread to my knees. I could not stand up and I could not sleep nights. My suffering was more than I can describe. I took a great deal of medicine, but nothing even gave me relief until I tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

"I read an account of a cure in a case that was exactly like mine and my husband got me some of the pills. I took them for three weeks before I really felt better, but they finally cur-

Mr. Pitcher, who is a veteran and member of E. D. Morgan Post, No. 307 of New York, substantiates his wife's statement and says that she now walks without difficulty, whereas a year ago he was compelled to push her about in a wheeled chair. Both Mr. and Mrs. Pitcher are enthusiastic in

their praise of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These wonderful pills cured Mrs. Pitcher by driving the rheumatic polson out of her blood. In the same way, they drive out the germs of other diseases and build up the blood to carry health and strength to every part of the body. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the worst cases of bloodlessness, indigestion, influenza, headaches, lumbago, sciatica, neuralgia nervousness, spinal weakness, and the special allments of girls and women whose blood supply becomes weak scanty or irregular. For further information, address the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

MRS. GERTZ PERSISTS.

Anna Gertz in person has filed in the Circuit Court an application for an order for publication of summons to de John Buckley in her suit relative to the Gertz morigage matter. She says in a supporting affidavit that she was informed that John Sullivan was collecting rents for three cottages on Queen street on Buckley's account, and, if the summons for Buckley can not be left with Sollivan, she prays that an order for publication be made.

Rev. J. W. Wadman spoke at Salva tion Army hall last night. His sub ject was "A Loving Appeal." speaker for tonight will be C. J. Day. and his subject will be "A World Without God." The Army is now waging a special campaign, and invites all to spoken. come to the meetings.

JAPAN'S WAR STARTED A REVIVAL OF RELIGION PILATE'S

ng expected, and to the Japanese deeply eignificant, thanksgiving pile hear the ever ready taunt of being de grimage of the Emperor, the coming pendents of foreigners. The intellectowned making the Builders and Traders' Exchange a power to be felt in the bration of the anniversary of the business life of Homolulu. Yesterday Mr. Harris announced the appointment of the following list of committees to gone rather apart in this matter in the fellowing list of committees to gone rather apart will under the following list of committees to gone rather apart will under the following list of committees to gone rather apart will under the following list of committees to gone rather apart will under the following list of committees to gone rather apart in this matter in the festion of a perfectly well under the following list of committees to gone rather apart in this matter in festion of a perfectly well under the following list of the first Japanese Christians—the best of the committees to gone an interesting vista into the committees. The intellection of the special envoy from the court of the special envoy from power of Japan's primitive religion as of the keys of the mission safe. by hero making war; the two others a greater work and do it better." The glous life of new Japan.

ground of intense interest.

Away at the other end of Japan, in Japan was wiped out by an almost a vassal state to Portugal.

Now when Japan, after the three centuries of isolation which followed Xavier, after the forty years of quiet and submissive tutelage in our days and after the bloody examination at its end, has her diploma as a first class Power, to her comes the Papal Nuncio tact that is so characteristic of the and farsighted missionaries. Vatican's diplomacy.

Exactly what Bishop O'Connell's mission included, it is of course impos- crisis in the work of Protestant missible to say. Interviewers, even those sions in Japan, or that the vote that eously asked to accept the assurance missions shall be that the Nuncio had been received by church after 1907 reduces the Congretheir imperial Majesties with much gational and Presbyterian missioneven the vaguest hints at its character.

It has, however, been stated by the Japanese press that the Pope's letter was an expression of thanks for the protection of Roman Catholic Christians in Korea and Manchuria during the war. The Mikado's reply is stated to have been:

You may rest assured that I shall protect followers of religion, whatever their nationality, to the fullest extent of my sovereign power.

It further remains a fact that, while the Court extended many courtesies to with the first class Order of the Sacred Treasure, he was neverthless kept waiting quite two weeks for his audience, ostensibly because the departments were too busy in preparation for the despatch of the high commissioners, Marquis Ito and Baron Komura, to Seoul and Peking, respectively was also interesting to note that while the envoy was most careful to deal directly with the Imperial Court and to avoid formal relations even of social character with any of the legations, even stating that the dinners given him by the American and Gernan Ministers were strictly personal and unofficial, yet on the other side Japanese Court did not entertain him in the Imperial Palace, but deputed Prince Fushimi to give him a luncheon on the following day at the

The ultra conservative Nippon, in its article on the Archbishop's visit, said: so very primitive in their sim
The Roman Catholics have the largest stand in such sharp contra number of converts of any foreign faith in Japan, namely 60,000, but where the propagandism is going on and what the propagandists are doing, no one knows, in fact the while thing produces scarcely a bubble on the surface of the

Shiba detached palace, which was the

nation's life. But such remarks unqualified are misleading, for the method of evangelization by the French fathers is wholly of an unobtrusive kind. Recognizing that the family, not the individual, is the social unit in Japan, they have always aimed at the conversion heads of families.

This has been done, not by public evangelistic addresses, but quietly, and has brought into the Church, not solitary men and women liable to be seduced from their faith by influential members of their family or clan, whole families, to grow quietly into the new bellef. Whatever, then, may appear to be signified by the quiet character of Bishop O'Connell's visit, it must be remembered that it is quite in accord with the spirit of the work he came to strengthen.

The Protestant phase of the month' work has likewise been quietly done, but it will probably be looked back upon as marking a distinct epoch in the history of Protestant missions in Japan. The two largest sections of the Japanese Protestants, the Presbyterians and Congregtionalists, have practically given notice to the American missionaries that they are no longer needed.

The decisions reached by the Presbyterians on October 11 and by the Congregationalists on November 15 trappings of the Indian religion. bring to a close an agitation of nearly twenty years duration. The strong objection of Japanese Protestants to missionary control has given rise to problems familiar to every student or modern missionary work.

Briefly the situation has been this The same resentment against foreign control that led to the extermination of Xavier's followers has never been absent from the Japanese heart. clearly remembers with what expressions of relief the Japanese press commented upon President Cleveland's refusal to annex Hawait, where American missionaries had become so influential; when the annexation actually occurred the papers were not so out- alongside of each other, making it pos-

In modern Japan probably only

TOKIO, November 25.-- The principal, Russian mission has been suspected to events of the past month have been ulterior designs of a political hose, but of a distinctly religious character. The it has been none the less hard for the Japanese Christians as individuals to

it now appears, vastly strengthened us the money, and with it we will do show interesting phases of the reli- missionaries on their side have felt that the brief experience of one gener-The visit of Bishop O'Connell of ation of Japanese Christians with their Portland, Me., bearer of the Pope's au- youthful impressions and training in tograph letter to the Mikado, has been Buddhist thought was not a sufficient quiet in the extreme Historically, guarantee of the propagation of a right however, it is projected against a back-faith. And so they have clung to the keys.

The agitation thus engendered has Nagasaki, stands the little church with gone on since 1888 with varying deits wonderful picture of the hills just grees of intensity, according as the peacross the landlocked harbor bristling riodic waves of anti-foreign feeling with martyr laden crosses. Xavier was were rising or subsiding. Lately, how. one of the mightiest missionaries the ever, and especially as the war demworld has seen, yet his great work in onstrated Japan's ability to take care of herself, the conviction has deepened volcanic outburst, precipitated by the that even the wider evangelistic effort suspicion that it aimed to make Japan made possible by American money should be sacrificed to real and permanent independence.

The leaders in the movement include such men as Uemura and Ishiwara Miyagawa and Kogaki, the most responsible and orthodox ministers in their denominations. It is also only fair to say that they have the symparestoring ancient relations with all the thy of some of the most experienced

This, however, does not alter the fact that their action marks a distinct of Japanese journals, have been court- no church receiving aid from foreign cordiality, but that the extremely deli- aries to the position of scattered indicate nature of his mission forbade vidual workers with necessarily limited and subordinate spheres of influence.

These two Christian movements are direct effects of the war. To Occidentals they also seem to be in entire harmony with the recent appearance of Japan within the circle of the great Christian Powers. But they do not tell the whole story.

It is true that the war did much to strengthen Christianity in Japan by proving the falsity of the populacharge that Christians would not fight and die for their country. It is also the envoy and finally decorated him true that a large amount of Christian work was done in both army and navy with the direct sanction of the author ities and with the great encourage ment of an imperial donation, the first ever given in ald of distinctively Christian work. But, while all this is true every day makes it clearer that the great lesson of the war, religiously considered, is that Japan stands pat in her ancient Shinto beliefs.

Exactly what is meant by Shinto-'the way of the gods"-it is hard to say. 'The best authorities on things Japanese speak of the "Shinto religion;" but a dozen years ago the government in instructions to the Educational Department stated that it was rather to be regarded as a system of ceremonial rites, and that as such its affairs had been placed under the direction of the Board of Ceremonies of the Imperial Household rather than under the Bureau of Religions.

Te tenets of this prehistoric cult are stand in such sharp contrast to the gergeous elaborateness of Japanes Buddhism that they uphold this idea. Shinto shrines contain no idois or image work of any kind.

Almost painfully bare, they harmonize perfectly with a system that is devoid of philosophical dogma and employs only the simplest ritual. The circular metal mirror and the polished sword within the shrine and the notched strips of white paper dangling from the straw rope before it are said to typify cleanliness of body and soul.

But there is more than this; for in this mirror the devout Shintoist sees not merely himself, but rather sees himself in the presence of the mighty dead-the spirits of his own forefathto whom the shrine is dedicated. beginning as a reverencing of ancestors, it becomes practical ship; and its ruling dogma, feudal fidelity-the fidelty of the son to his father, of the wife to her husband, of the subject to his lord-naturally finds us highest and most exacting application in worshipful devotion to the Emperor, who in turn holds himself bound to the spirits of his heaven descended room came directly under his control ancestors, the founders of the Japanese race. Back of all this, there is held in recognition by the more intelligent worshippers a vague idea of one chief god or providence.

During the Middle Ages this simple was almost totally eclipsed by Buddhism. At only two points in the empire did the "ways of the gods" remain uncontaminated by the gaudy

One of the two places was Ise, nov known to all the world as the Mecca of the recent thanksgiving pligrimages of the Emperor, the Crown Prince and the admirals of the victorious fleet. It was at Ise, so Japanese history tells that the heaven descended line of Mikados began, and the Great Shrine of Ise is believed to contain the sacred mirror bestowed by the Sun Goddess on her imperial son

The shrines themselves are not old, for it has been the custom from prehistoric times to renew the buildings in exactly the same style and in every detail once in twenty years. This work of exact reproduction is facilitated by the use of two exactly similar sites

CITY OF MEXICO, Mexico, January 17.-Charles K. Thompson, a New York lawyer, who has just test Guaof the greatest value. It is a parchment bearing in Latin name, constituted the shower.

the sentence pronounced by Pontius evidence who sold the parchment to the New Yorker stated that he had purchased He was ignorant of its possible value and knew nothing of its history Thompson paid \$10 for the parchment. Translated, the sentence reads:

PILATE'S SENTENCE.

"I. Pontius Pilate, here in Jerusalem regent for the Roman empire, judge and condemn to death Jesus, known as the poor Nazarene, and of the Nation of Galilee, a seditious man, opposed to the law and to our senate and the great Emperor Tiberius Caesar. And I determine that his death shall be on the cross, fastened with nails, as is the custom with criminals. Because here join and congregate each day many men, rich and poor, who have not desisted to provoke tumult throughout Judea, proclaiming this man the son of God and King of Is-rael, and threatening ruin to this noted city of Jerusalem and its temple, and this sacred empire. And because has refused tribute to Caesar, and has had the boldness to enter, with palms of triumph and with a great multitude into the city of Jerusalem and into the sacred temple of Solomon.

ORDERED TO CARRY CROSS. "I, therefore, command the first cen- act as her agent.

turion, named Quinto Cornello, to remove from this city of Jerusalem this ney, testified of various moneys paid offender, putting upon him such robes by him to Clark. In each case & was as shall make him known to all, and understood to be on Miss Buckle's accrucified, and conducting him through 6, 1898, was requested by Clark to par the streets between two robbers, who Miss Buckle's taxes. A dole of \$2 was for thefts and murders, in this man- tion written in Kaneakua's office and ner making an example that all people in his sight: and all criminals shall heed. And I "Say, John can you let me have 13? further command that the public crier I need it very bad. I have not had shall proclaim his offenses as here ex- a cent from the judge for a long time." pressed and that after having traversed the public streets he shall be taken bristly toward the attorney for defeaby the port of Pagora, now known as dant. He said that when he was in the Antonina, to the mountain of Calvary, custom house word came of an opium where it is the custom to execute all wicked criminals. There he shall be crucified on the same cross that he has Ashford had got there before the efhanging between those of the two rob-And above the cross, in the bers. three languages that are now generally known, namely, Hebrew, Greek and Latin, shall be placed the inscription 'This is Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews," so that all may understand and that he shall be known to all. And let no one, of whatever state or condition. under penalty of losing rights and life through rebellion to the Roman Empire, dare to interfere with the execution of this sentence with full rigor as I have commanded, according to the Roman and Hebrew laws. "Year of the creation of the world,

5232, the 25th of March."

Secretary Bonaparte has disapproved the finding and verdict of the martial in the case of Ensign Charles T. Wade, who was tried on charges growing out of the accident on the gunboat Bennington last July, and sent the entire case back to San Francisco for review by the court-martial, the personnel of which is still there

The sentence of the court was a light one, and it is evident that Secretary Bonaparte does not believe that Wade was sufficiently punished by the courtmartial. Ensign Wade was the senior engineering officer of the Bennington at the time that vessel's boilers blew up The court of inquiry which made the ers, or of the heroes, local or imperial, preliminary investigation of the disaster recommended that Wade be courtmartialed.

Secretary Bonaparte approved this recommendation and also ordered that Commander Young, commanding officer of the Bennington, be taken before the same court and tried. The charge made against Wade were for the most part under the general head of "neglec of duty." The affairs of the boller and the court of inquiry discovered good deal of neglect there. The Wade court-martial was delayed for weeks by the critical illness of the officer, who suffered severely from shock of the accident and the subsequent action against him. The case is sent back for review. The court is not required to change the sentence, although the Secretary does disapprove Washington Star.

Castle & Cooke, Ltd., agents for Waialua Agricultural Co., Ltd., advertise for bids for \$500,000 of the \$1,500,000 | issue of the plantation's refunding bonds. Owners of \$836,000 of the old six per cents accepted the offer of the new five per cents at 98, and the balance to make one million was otherwise placed. Investors in the remain ing half million of the bonds will probably not get them below par.

Judge Dole, accompanied by Deputy Clerk Hatch, will go to Hilo next week to open a term of the Federal court. There is no known business to come up, but the opportunity must be given sible to finish the new shrine before the Judge Dole will rusticate for a week

Continued on Page 8.) at Humunia sheep station. at Humunia sheep station.

It looked like an election required to Judge De Bott's court yesterday, the way little bits of paper showered over dalajara for the States, took with the rail to be marked by Clerk Statchhim a document that may prove to be clor as exhibits. Receipts, notes of The document hand, I O U's and requests for luans, was secured at the Thieves' Market in mostly signed by Charles M. Clark either with his own or someone purported to be vouchers. Not their Pliate upon Jesus Christ, and it gives the ready writer of signatures limitalof extreme age. The man ed anybody's sign manual other than his own, but he represented himself as acting for Miss Mary Buckle, his sin-It about a year ago from a woman, ter-in-law, in multitudinous seasonal operations and signed his wife's same as suited.

> Miss Buckle was suing S. Ahmi, s wealthy Chinaman, on a promiseour note for \$1350 made in 1898. fenne was payment and discharge of the obligation and the Clark portfolio was unloaded as part of the evidence. It was of no avail, though, for the jury, after an absence of a few minutes, returned a verdict for the full amount claimed, with interest beginning thirty days after date of the pote. C. W. Ashford for defendant noted a general exception to the verdict with notice of motion for a new trial. Frank E. Thompson conducted the case for plaintiff.

> The jury consisted of Ed. Drew, Geo. J. O'Nell, Geo. S. Waterhouse, O. H. Walker, J. Mitchell, A. M. Mellis, Wm. Barclay, Jesse O. Young, Wm. Aberman, Frank Darling, Jas. Nott Jr. and Jan. Jacger

> Some of the receipts for money were signed by Mrs. Jane Clark, but she deuled her signature and her businens admitted having signed for her. Miss Buckle testified that she never anthorized either Charles or Jane Clark to

John Kaneakua, a Hawalian attorthe same cross on which he is to be count. A payment of \$380 on October have been condemned to death forthcoming on the following regular-

Clark on the stand became a triffe deal, in which Ahmi was suspected to be implicated, over at Lahaina. Mr. carried, and his body shall be left ficers, however, and "flew the coop," the witness said.

"Were the police not there?" the a torney asked.

"Yes, but you got there first," the

F. C. BEBTELMANN IS SENTENCED

Frank C. Bertelmann was sentenced by Judge Dole yesterday afternoon to be imprisoned four months in Oaha jail, for impersonating an officer of the United States Government. It was one of the most painful duties of his office. WADE'S CASE the judge said, to impose sentences, but the defendant had been convicted statute, the sentence might be three years and a fine of \$1000,

Previous to passing sentence 'tire court rendered a long decision overruling the motion for a new trial. Atorney Hogan made a plea for mercy before the sentence, and after it was given moved for a stay of judgment

to permit an appeal. Bertelmann was indicted several times over for the same offense and at former terms was repeatedly acquitted. The convicting evidence showed that, under the guise of a Federal officer colecting taxes, he exacted small amounts from Japanese.

Consul and Mrs. Chang Tso Fam held a reception in official celebration of Chinese New Year at the consulate from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. yesterday. Many prominent people, officials and others, called. The Hawaiian band attended. Assisting the Consul and Mrs. Fan in receiving were Miss Chang. Mrs. M. C. Amana and the Misses Kong. Callers were presented by a committee consisting of Li Cheung, W. Y. Kwai Fong, Lau Tong, M. C. Amana, Yee Chin, Chun Ming and Cha Gem. Lavish hospitality ruled.

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